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1. WEST GERMAN AIF CHAIRMAN, DR. HEINRICH MANDEL, MET PRESS IN TOKYO SEPT. 13. FOLLOWING IS ESSENCE OF HIS REMARKS:

2. NOT NEGATIVE ON EXPORT OF GERMAN PWR TO JAPAN. POPULATION DENSITY AND EARTHQUAKE PROBLEMS COMMON TO BOTH COUNTRIES ARE CONSIDERED IN GERMAN LWR'S, BUT LONG-RANGE REACTOR BUSINESS WITH JAPAN IS NOT EXPECTED, SINCE ANY ADVANCED COUNTRY SHOULD NOT INDEFINITELY REPLY ON FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY BUT DEVELOP ITS OWN.

3. IN TROIKA URANIUM ENRICHMENT PROGRAM, 200-TON SWU PLANTS ARE IN PLANNING STAGE, ONE EACH IN NETHERLANDS AND IN BRITAIN. NETHERLANDS PLANS CONSTRUCTION OF 400 TO 450-TON SWU PLANT IN WEST GERMANY. ITS CAPACITY WILL BE RAISED TO 2000 TONS SWU BY 1982.

4. SNR-300 FBR NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION IS TO START OPERATION IN 1981. CONSTRUCTION OF 1200 TO 1500 MW FBR IS UNDER CONSIDERATION.

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5. JAPAN-GERMANY COOPERATION IN FBR CORE TECHNOLOGY WILL BE

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